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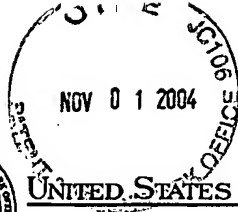
Kindly correct the spelling of first inventor's name to read: --Eduardus--.

Enclosed is a copy of the Combined Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney previously filed confirming the correct spelling.

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Method for processing poultry

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 (PCT) application, PCT/NL02/00480: filed July 17, 2002.  
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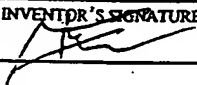


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